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22 February 1963

The Honorable Donald W. Alexander  
Administrator, Maritime Administration  
U. S. Department of Commerce  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Alexander:

In the absence of Mr. McCaus, I am replying to your letter of 7 February 1963 in which you requested the cooperation of this Agency in providing data on ships calling at Cuba.

As you are aware, the primary responsibility for reporting intelligence information on merchant ship movements rests with the Office of Naval Intelligence under the general direction of the Defense Intelligence Agency. We believe that we can support you with the least risk of duplication and compromise of security information by continuing to ensure that ONI receives all information which we derive from our sources on shipping to Cuba.

Faithfully yours,

(Signed) Marshall S. Carter

Marshall S. Carter  
Lieutenant General, USA  
Acting Director

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MARITIME ADMINISTRATION  
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR

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Mr. John A. McCone  
Director, Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. McCone:

Subject: U. S. Government shipments by foreign flag vessels in the Cuban trade

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Your cooperation in this matter will be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

*Donald W. Bealeader*  
Maritime Administrator

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3-4 - For preparation of reply for General Carter's signature. **ACTION PAPER**  
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Executive Director

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Will you, at this time, wish to sign a letter  
to Mr. [ ] as Acting Director? \_\_\_\_\_

Will Mr. McCone wish to sign the letter? \_\_\_\_\_  
Or, would you  wish to sign as Deputy Director? \_\_\_\_\_

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